Loan sanctioned to farmers under IRDp in Bhilwara Rajasthan

1075. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state;

(a) what amount of loan was sanctioned during the last three years, yearwise to poor farmers under IRDP in Bhilwara district of Rajasthan;

(b) whethter there have been complaints against the bank officials regarding corrupt practices being adopted 'by them' in sanctioning payment of loans; and

(c) if so, whether any inquiry has since been conducted against the persons found guilty and if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) The present data reporting system does not generate information in the manner- asked for. However, funds released as Government of India's share to Distri:t Rural Development Agency of Bhilwara under IRDP are as under:

(Rs. in lakhs)

1986-87	60.476
1987-88	67.100
1988-89	75.267

(b) and (c) Representations received from individuals generally relate to non-sanction of loans, delay in disbursement of loans, remission of dues, rescheduling of repayment etc. Such complaints whenever received are referred to the concernd authorities for necessary remedial action.

Centrally sponsored irrigation scheme in Rajasthan

1076. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state;

(a) what are the main sources °f irrigation in Rajasthan;

(b) what percentage of the total area of the State is under irrigation; and

j (c) whether any Centrally sponsored scheme, for irrgation projects in Rajasthan is under consideration and if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHR1MATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) The sources of Irrigation in Rajasthan are surface water including tanks and groundwater including tubewells and other wells.

(b) Approximately, 12 per cent of the cultivable area of the State is under irrigation.

(c) No Centrally Sponsored Irrigation Scheme is under consideration, although the Central- Government has provided a sum of Rs. 101 crores as additional Central assistance for Indira Gandhi Nahar Project till 1988-89.

Central Aid for installation of pump sets in Rajasthan

1077. SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Central Government have given any aid to Rajasthan for installation of pump sets for irrigation during the last three years;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof, yearwise; and

(c) what is the number of pump sets likely to be installed during 1989, districtwise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) and (b) Central Government provides Central assistance to States under various Centrally Sponsored Scheme for Minor Irrigation Works which, *inter alia,* includes installation of pump sets. Sector wise and itemwise funds are not released by the Centre. Under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of! Assistance to small and marginal farmers for increasing agricultural

production, yearwise Central assistance of Rs. 88.50 lakhs, Rs. 34928 lakhs and Rs: 273.65 lakhs were released to Government of Rajasthan during the years 1986-87, 1987-88 and 1988-89 respectively out of which 70 per cent is to be utilised for different Minor Irrigation Works including the pumpsets.

(c) Under the above scheme, the number of pumpsets|diesel engines|electric motors installed in Rajasthan during the last three years are given below:

Year	No. of Pump Sets/ Diesel engines/electric motors installed
1986-87 .	6799
1987-88 . .	8620
1988-89 . • (upto Dec. 88)	4116

Item wise and district wise targets of various Minor Irrigation Works are not fixed by the Centre under this scheme.

Financial implications under foreig$_n$ exchange regulations of Coc$_a$ Col$_a$ project

1078. SHRl V, GOPALSAMY; Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the financial implications with reference to foreign exchange regulations regarding the Coca Cola Project;

(b) whether any guidelines are being formulated;

(c) whether the whole product will be consumed internally; and

(d) if not, how much will be exported and how much foreign exchange is likely to be earned therefrom?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. R. DAS MUNSHI); (a) to (d) As per the application of M/s_ Coca Cola Company, the project involves a cent per cent foreign owned investment of" Rs. 3.50 crores. The total f.o.b. value of exports is projected at Rs. 24.94 crores, while the foreign exchange outgo on account of import of Capital Goods, raw materials and repatriation of dividends is about Rs. 8.00 crores over a period of five years. The net foreign exchange earnings over this period is about Rs. 17.00 crores As per the application, 25 per cent of the preparations produced are proposed to be sold in the domestic market for further processing into a beverage. Guidelines are already in voque in respect of scheme of Export Processing Zones.

Cleaning of Cooum and Adyar rivers and Buckingham Canal

1079. SHRI V. GOPALSAMY:

SHRI T. R. BALU:

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Central Government are aware of the proposal to clean the highly polluted Cooum and Adyar rivers and Buckingham Canal;

(b) if so, what will be the estimated cost of the whole project;

(c) in what manner the whole project will be funded, and the amount which by Central Government are contribution for this project; and

(d) by when the project is expected to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI Z R ANSAR1): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) The Government of Tamil Nadu have initiated studies to prepare a detailed project report. The cost, the pattern of funding and the time for completion will be known only after the preparation of the report by the Government of Tamil Nadu.